

## House Resolution No. 233

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives proudly pause to recognize an extraordinary young Missouri citizen who has attained tremendous personal success through achievement in the Boy Scouts of America program; and

**Whereas**, Andrew Jackson of Troop 65 in Piedmont, Missouri, has completed all the stringent requirements necessary to receive the prestigious Eagle Scout Award, Scouting's highest honor; and

**Whereas**, Andrew Jackson earned the praise and respect of many for the enthusiasm and initiative he displayed in regard to his Eagle Project which involved the restoration of an equestrian and hiking trail at Sam A. Baker State Park; and

**Whereas**, during his many years in the Scouting program, Andrew Jackson earned the required number of merit badges and attained membership in the Order of the Arrow, where he currently serves as the Sioux Chapter Chief; and

**Whereas**, born December 4, 1987, Andrew Jackson has readily prepared himself for the challenges of the outside world through the important terms of service to his Troop as Patrol Leader, Quartermaster, Scribe, Chaplain's Aide, and Senior Patrol Leader; and

**Whereas**, Andrew Jackson is an exceptional young man who will undoubtedly utilize the skills and knowledge he acquired in Scouting to secure a place for himself in the world and become a successful, productive adult; and

**Whereas**, Andrew Jackson has achieved all of this and more with the love, support, and encouragement he has continually received from his proud parents, teachers, friends, and Scoutmaster, all of whom have instilled within him the desire to realize his full potential:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Andrew Jackson at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing him only the very best as he continues to uphold the Scouting tradition with both honor and decorum; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Andrew Jackson.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Rod Jetton  
Speaker Pro Tem  
District No. 156

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 233, adopted February 3, 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker